

# Alexandria Gazette and Virginia Advertiser

## Alexandria Gazette

FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 10.

### A Singular Case.

Prosecutor Stevens in the Passaic County Court of Quarter Session, at Paterson, N. J., Tuesday morning moved the indictment against John H. Wolfe charging him with the shooting of Miss Melinda T. Jacobus, of P'ru, a small village situated on the border of Essex county. Wolfe, it will be remembered, spent one Sunday last October in the lady's company, and in the evening, as Miss Jacobus was getting ready to accompany Wolfe to the depot, she was shot in the side with a gun in the hands of Wolfe. It was claimed at the time that the shooting was a wild shot and the steps were taken to prosecute the young man. The shot entered the body of Miss Jacobus near the tenth rib, which is shattered and passed through the lung. For some time it was thought that she would die. The wonderful vitality she displayed attracted a great deal of attention in mid-July. Miss Jacobus finally recovered to the perfect enjoyment of all who heard of the case. While he was seriously ill, being unable to give birth, was let up. The grand jury found no indictment against him, charging him with malicious shooting at Miss Jacobus with intent to kill her.

In the court room Miss Jacobus is a perfect picture of the blooming country maiden. She did not seem at all inconvenienced by the 200 buckshot and various pieces of carpet and dress goods still in her body, but walked as gracefully as if she had never troubled her. That Wolfe had no intention of killing his young lady is apparent to every one who read the original report of his terrible affair as published at home and abroad. From a careful reading of the evidence at his trial last Tuesday it would seem the prosecution has a rope of sand only to rely on. But at the same time Wolfe and all others who persist in the reprehensible practice of putting guns at people for amusement should not be deemed entirely guiltless who will send us as to what Miss Jacobus is the result of their thoughtlessness.

For general use, LIVERPOOL PURIFIED WHISKEY recommended; price \$3 per gallon. GEO. McEARNET & SON, Agents.

### Opening and Closing of the Mails

CLOSING.

Washington, D. C., and Northeastern mails 8 a.m., 12 m., 6 and 8 1/2 p.m.

Western mails 6 1/2 and 8 1/2 p.m.

Southern mails via Richmond, Va., 10 30 a.m., and 4 30 and 8 1/2 p.m.

South and Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Virginia, way and through mails, 7 30 a.m. and 9 1/2 p.m.

Massachusetts Division 7 30 a.m. a.m.

Alexandria to Round Hill, Va., 8 30 a.m. OPENING.

Northern and Western mails, via Washington, D. C., 8 30 a.m., 12 m. and 6 30 p.m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 8 30 a.m. and 9 30 a.m.

Southwestern mails via Lynchburg, Virginia (through mails) including way mails on Midland Railroad, S 30 a.m.

Massachusetts Division 7 30 p.m. for lock box only.

Round Hill to Alexandria, Va., 8 30 p.m. Office Hours—Office opens at 8 30 a.m., and closes at 7 30 p.m.

Sunday Hours—Office opens at 8 45 a.m., and closes at 8 30 a.m.

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JOHN T. GRIEFTON & SON, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in HARDWARE, CUTLERY, HORSE SHOES, IRON, PLough Castings, Nail Rods, Axle Grees, Waggon Materials, House-keepers' Goods, &c., &c. NO. 88 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL Alexandria, Virginia

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Ice House in Market Space is open daily, Sunday included, at all hours, day and night for the retail trade.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 27th day of January, 1852.

George Mason, complainant, } In chancery and upon an

S. Chapman Neale, defendant, } attachment.

Memo. The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant the sum of eight hundred dollars with interest thereon from December 8 1848 until paid, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same the real estate of the said S. Chapman Neale in this city of Alexandria as follows: The house and lot at the south east intersection of St. Asaph and Duke streets; the house and lot on Duke street adjoining the above on the east side, and the house and lot on the north side of Cameron street between Alfred and Patrick streets, No. 183 Cameron street, Alexandria, Va., (the last piece of property occupied by Daniel K. Sims) and the First National Bank of Alexandria Va. defendant. In chancery and upon an attachment.

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